

IN THE CLAIMS:

Claims 1-39 (Previously cancelled)

40. (Original) A barrier movement operator comprising a motor drive unit having a controller with stored operational software for controlling the movement of a barrier, the controller comprising a communication port connected to an external microprocessor for installing operational software via the communicator port.

41. (Original) A barrier movement operator according to claim 40, wherein the external microprocessor is comprised by a personal computer.

42. (Original) A barrier movement operator according to claim 40, wherein the external microprocessor is comprised by a personal computing device.

43. (Original) A barrier movement operator comprising a first motor drive unit for moving a first barrier, a second motor drive unit for moving a second barrier, each motor drive unit comprising a controller connected to a communication port and a digital data communication medium interconnecting the communications ports of the first and second motor drive units to facilitate digital communication between the first and second motor drive units.

44. (Original) A barrier movement operator according to claim 43, wherein the digital data communications medium comprises a digital data bus.

45. (Original) A barrier movement operator according to claim 44, comprising a wall console connected to the digital data bus for communication with the first and second motor drive units.

46. (Original) A barrier movement operator according to claim 45, comprising an additional wall console connected to the digital data bus.

Claims 47-49 (cancelled)